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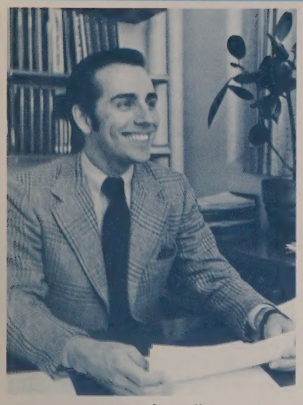
Mr. Lilley named assistant to the director



Mr. David F. Lilley

Mr. David F. Lilley, manager of service coordination, was appointed administrative assistant to the director in mid-December 1972. This is the second promotion received by Mr. Lilley in ten months.

In his new position, Mr. Lilley continues his responsibility for the service coordination department and assumes the additional responsibility for purchasing service. He will evaluate the organization and methods of purchasing to ascertain whether or not a more effective service can be provided for the Deaconess. Mr. Lilley specifically will explore the feasibility and practicality of initiating a centralized materials management system at NEDH.

The managers of purchasing and service coordination will report to Mr. Lilley who reports to Director Richard E. Lee. Mr. Anthony Cavalieri assumed the position of purchasing manager on January 22. He comes to NEDH from the materials management department of Baptist Hospital, Jacksonville, Florida. A manager for service coordination hasn't been appointed yet. When a manager is hired for the department, Mr. Lilley will move from the Deaconess 3 office to a new office on Farr 1.

Mr. Lilley began his Deaconess Hospital career 12 years ago as a part-time employee in night administration. He then worked in the admitting office which subsequently split into the booking and patient service departments. In 1965, he joined the systems analysis department and was promoted to assistant manager of the department in May 1970. He served in this position until February 1972, at which time he was appointed manager of service coordination.

A 1970 graduate of Boston University, Mr. Lilley has lived in Massachusetts all of his life. He currently resides in downtown Boston and enjoys the proximity to the theaters and concert halls. When possible he retreats to the mountains for skiing and takes time out to travel across the country.

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Mr. Wambolt promoted to associate controller

Mr. William T. Wambolt, assistant controller for five years, was promoted to associate controller, effective December 19. His new position enables Mr. Wambolt to work more closely with Controller Dean Annis in managerial functions of the department. He will spend more time studying price-control regulations and forecasting results of finanical operations and cash needs. Additional duties will include monitoring the affect of changes in federal and state health care reimbursement regulations on hospital finances and evaluating ways in which the accounting department can best respond at all levels to needs for financial information.

When Mr. Wambolt came to NEDH in early 1967, he was hired as a cost accountant. In October 1967, he was named assistant controller and became responsible for general accounting functions. He supervised cost accounting, assisted Controller Dean Annis in the preparation of monthly financial reports as well as special purpose reports, assisted in the preparation of the budget and worked closely with outside auditors.

Before becoming a Deaconess employee, Mr. Wambolt, himself, was an outside auditor at the hospital. As a full-time accountant with Mr. Webster McCann's public accounting firm, he spent considerable time at the Deaconess for eight years.

Mr. Wambolt served in the U. S. Army Military Police Corps for two years and then went to Bentley College of Accounting and Finance from which he graduated in 1959. He is a certified public accountant and a member of the Hospital Financial Management Association.

A native of the Boston area, Mr. Wambolt grew up in Bedford and now resides in Somerville. He enjoys music, studying the stock market, reading and traveling.

Credit union re-elects officers

LAST YEAR'S OFFICERS OF THE ALPHA CREDIT UNION WERE RE-ELECTED, December 19, to serve the employee organization for another year. They are (pictured l.-r.): Miss Natalie Fossati, clerk; Miss Marjorie Pond, vice president; Mr. William Wambolt, treasurer, and Mr. William Branson, president. Directors re-elected for a three-year term at the Alpha Credit Union's annual meeting, November 28, are: Mr. Branson, manager of patient service; Mr. Warren Hunt, patient accounts at Lahey Clinic; Miss Elizabeth Murphy, personnel recruiter; Mr. Philip P. Pacella, associate manager of pharmacy services, and Miss Marjorie Pond, nursing practice coordinator. In order to protect its members, the credit union recently joined Credit Bureau Services, Inc., a Boston company which investigates credit references.

"Type mobile" begins tour of hospital on Feb. 1

The blood bank "type mobile" will start winding its way throughout the Deaconess Hospital on February 1. Its first stop will be in the cafeteria conference room between 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. At that time, personnel from the blood bank will type blood for employees and draw blood from those interested in joining the new community blood donor program. In the afternoon the "type mobile" will move to the laundry building.

"We expect that it will take six weeks for the 'type mobile' to reach every hospital building and department," explains Dr. Randi V. Rosvoll, pathologist responsible for the blood bank. "However, when we finish our mobile recruitment schedule, we hope to have personally contacted every Deaconess employee."

Representatives from most departments met with Dr. Rosvoll on January 18 to discuss recruitment for the community donor program. Each representative will play an active role in organizing his or her department during the mobile unit's travels throughout the hospital.

The community blood bank donor program provides blood-coverage insurance for member employees and their families. After donating a minimum of two pints of blood, members of this program will receive coverage for their immediate family for one year. Coverage is extended through the American Association of Blood Banks Clearing House to any participating hospital in this country.

Manager of medical record dept. retires after 18 years at NEDH

Miss E. Louise Seymour, manager of the medical record department, retired after 18 years of Deaconess Hospital employment and 37 years in the medical record science field. A departmental party was given for her in late December and, on January 4, a tea was given by the hospital in her honor in Harris Hall. At that time she greeted friends from every department and Director Richard E. Lee presented her with an AM-FM digital clock radio from the hospital. In addition, Dr. Robert F. Bradley and Dr. Alexander Marble gave her an autographed copy of the eleventh edition of Joslin's *Diabetes Mellitus*. A considerable amount of the statistical research necessary for the manual was dependent upon Miss Seymour.

In 1954, Miss Seymour came to NEDH from the Massachusetts General Hospital where she had been director of the medical record department and the medical record science school for eight years. Since coming to the Deaconess, she has helped her department weather ten partial moves of records to release space for expansion, and two complete moves during the construction of permanent quarters. Due to the increased number of hospital beds, and the enlarged residency program, the volume of medical records has increased at a rapid rate and, since 1954, the department has grown from 10 to 19 people.

Before coming to the Boston area in 1946, Miss Seymour worked in Maryland and Pennsylvania. She graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Medical Record Science in 1935. She served in the American Red Cross' oversea's program during World War II, spending most of her time working in Western European field hospitals.

Miss Louise Seymour, retiring manager of the medical record department, shows the manual on Diabetes Mellitus to Mr. Francis Matthews (l.), employee relations director, and Chaplain Ralph A. Curtis.

Miss Seymour is a past president of both the American Medical Record Association and the Eastern Massachusetts Medical Record Association. In addition to her organizational affiliations, Miss Seymour's other professionally enlightening experiences include a job as a medical record consultant in Melbourne, Australia.

During the past six years, Miss Seymour has commuted to the Deaconess from her home in Rhode Island. She and her four brothers and one sister moved to Philadelphia, Penn., at an early age. Her parents, sister and one brother subsequently retired to Rhode Island.

Leisure time has been at a premium for Miss Seymour who looks forward to unscheduled relaxation. She hopes to catch up with some reading and volunteer with a "meals on wheels" program sponsored by a hospital in Wakefield, R. I.

Doctors doings

Dr. Joseph L. Andrews, cardiopulmonary and internal medicine, presented a lecture on "Hypoxia: Diagnosis and Treatment," January 23 at Boston City Hospital. He also published an article entitled "Lapland Trek" in the January 1973 issue of *Medical Times*.

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Dr. Thomas J. Anglem, general surgery, published an article, "The Dubious Case for Conservative Operation in Operable Cancer of the Breast," in the November 1972 issue of *Annals of Surgery*. On January 3, he and two other specialists taped a panel discussion for a show entitled "Not For Women Only." The program deals with breast cancer and will be aired in the spring on the *Today Show*.

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Dr. Menelaos Aliapoulios, general surgery; and **Dr. Stanley Order,** therapeutic radiology, were two of four panelists to participate in WBZ's program, *Breast Carcinoma and Its Management*. The program was televised on December 8.

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Dr. Benjamin E. Bierbaum, orthopedic surgery, spoke to the New England Orthopedic Society, Boston, about "Knee Arthrography in a University Population," on November 18. He spoke about "Fractures of the Hip in Children," November 14, at a meeting of the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons, in Newton.

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Dr. Joseph H. Bowlds, ophthalmology, lectured on "Ophthalmological Evaluation of the Oral Surgery Patient," December 3, as part of a two-day post graduate course for oral surgeons, in Boston. The course was sponsored by the Boston Unversity Medical Center and School of Graduate Dentistry.

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Drs. Robert F. Bradley, George F. Cahill Jr., George P. Kozak, Leo P. Krall, Alexander Marble, and **Priscilla White,** internal medicine, served as faculty members at the Second International Pan American Course, November 27-30, in Mexico City. The course focused on the general practitioner's care of diabetes mellitus. It was sponsored by the Joslin Diabetes Foundation, Harvard Medical School and the University of Mexico.

Dr. Blake Cady, general surgery, spoke about "Current Management of Carcinoma of the Breast," November 4, at the Wilmington Medical Center, Wilmington, Delaware. On October 19, he spoke to the Jamestown Medical Society, Jamestown, N. Y., about "Surgical Implications in Treatment of Lymphoma."

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Dr. A. Richard Christlieb, internal medicine, lectured about "The Diabetic Kidney and Hypertension," November 19, to the American Heart Association, Dallas, Texas.

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Dr. Melvin E. Clouse and **Dr. Herbert F. Gramm,** diagnostic radiology, and **Dr. Merle A. Legg,** pathology, presented an exhibit on "Diabetic Osteoarthropathy and Gastrict Neuropathy" at the annual meeting of the Radiological Society of North America in Chicago during the last week of November.

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Dr. Robert E. Desautels, urology, was recently appointed assistant clinical professor of surgery at Harvard Medical School.

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Renovations progress at hospital

Relocations and renovations continue throughout the Deaconess complex. Mrs. Priscilla Tinkham, systems and planning manager; Mr. Dean Annis, controller; and, Miss Patricia Hansen, secretary, have vacated their offices on Farr 1 to facilitate repainting. The space will be converted into an office for Mr. David F. Lilley, newly appointed administrative assistant to the director, and a conference room for administration. Until permanent offices are complete, Mrs. Tinkham has temporarily moved to Deaconess 5, and Mr. Annis and Miss Hansen have relocated on Norwich 1.

The pulmonary department moved from Farr 6 to Deaconess 2 north in mid-December. In its new location, the department has an office for pulmonary fellows and residents, two procedure rooms, a reception area and an office for Dr. Joseph L. Andrews, Jr., chief of the pulmonary laboratory.

Pulmonary's move, in turn, expedited the completion of new offices for the cardiology department which moved from Farr 5 to Farr 6 in mid-January. The new quarters provide space for three secretaries, a conference and viewing room, a study for cardiology fellows and residents, and offices for Dr. O. Stevens Leland, director of the cardiology section of the department of medicine; Dr. Robert Healy, cardiologist; and, Dr. Ahmed Mohiuddin, cardiologist. Offices formerly occupied by cardiology services on Farr 5 eventually will be converted into an expanded cardiac catherization laboratory.

Construction commenced in January on an enclosure of the "pit-like" area off the alley outside of pharmacy. Once enclosed, the area will be used for centralized storage of intravenous solutions. Approximately 7,500 bottles of intravenous solution are used at the Deaconess every month. They are currently being stored in purchasing's general store rooms on Deaconess 1 and in the tunnel leading to the Shields Warren Radiation Laboratory. The enclosure also will provide potential floor space at the Deaconess 1 level for offices.

Final phases of construction on the Deaconess 2 ambulatory service unit were completed in early January. The dental clinic and physical therapy services will open on Deaconess 2 pending the arrival and installation of equipment. The podiatry service opened on Deaconess 2 in mid-January, as did offices for Dr. John B. McKittrick, chairman of the department of ambulatory services, and Mr. Paul Babcock, manager of ambulatory services.

Work continues in the nourishment stations on Palmer 2, 3 and 5. Microwave food service units will be installed on these floors after renovations are complete.

Festive events highlight Deaconess Christmas

Christmas decorations began to appear in offices, on patient care units and throughout the Deaconess Hospital after December 1. Much to everyone's dismay, many of these symbols of the holiday season began to disappear into storage closets on the second of January. But, lingering behind is an atmosphere of holiday peace and love. These will not be placed on the shelf with the holiday decorations, but remain as intangible reminders of Christmas 1972.

Parties and other festive events predominated the Deaconess Christmas celebrations. On December 11, Miss Ellen D. Howland, assistant director and director of nursing, welcomed employees to her annual Christmas tea in Harris Hall from 3-5 p.m. The table centerpiece and other decorations were created by Miss Howland. She and her mother are also responsible for baking many of the tasty pastries for the tea.

Glee Club members entertained friends, parents and employees at their traditional Christmas concert, December 12, at 8 p.m. in Harris Hall. After the concert, the nursing students joined their guests for refreshments in the Riverview Restaurant.

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The peace of the Christmas season was best reflected in the NEDH Arthur T. Dooley Chapel. Tastefully decorated by Miss Muriel Lund, R.N., the altar was graced by this Nativity Scene.

Miss Ellen D. Howland, assistant director of the hospital and director of nursing, gave her annual Christmas tea for hospital employees, December 11, in Harris Hall. Mrs. Lillian Andersen, chairman of the first year faculty, pours tea for Mrs. Barbara Hooker, curriculum coordinator, while Miss Jan McGranahan, first-year nursing student, decides which pastry to eat.

These "NOEL" characters on Farr 3 cheered the unit's employees, visitors and patients during the holiday season. In the foreground, Mrs. Lynne Sedgwick, unit secretary, answers the telephone while Miss Carol Meyer, R.N., reads an instruction sheet. The "NOEL" characters were created by Ms. Jan Harrington, unit clerk.

Soloist Mrs. Rosemary Laffin Graffius, third-year nursing student, sings "Sweet Little Jesus Boy" while Miss Pamela Whitcomb, first-year nursing student, accompanies her on the piano and fellow Glee Club members listen. The Glee Club gave its traditional Christmas concert, December 12 at 8 p.m., in Joslin Auditorium.

The employees on Farr 9 set up a table where patients and staff members made decorations for the solarium's artificial tree. Discovered diligently creating ornaments a few days before Christmas were: Miss Janet Purcell, L.P.N.; Miss Cindy MacCallum, R.N.; and Mr. Donald Evans, patient.

Deaconess Christmas . . .

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Departmental and unit parties were held the week preceding Christmas, and the hospital party for employees was held December 21 in the cafeteria. It was a jovial event complete with Santa Claus, eggnog, cookies, candies and merry music provided by the "Mabel Biagini Strolling Trio."

Christmas carols echoed up and down the hallways as employee carolers sang favorite tunes on the patients units, December 22. They began the afternoon song fest with a repertoire of carols in the Farr lobby before going to the patient floors.

A special Christmas dinner — complete with a choice of tomato soup or shrimp cocktail, turkey with dressing and gravy, cranberry sauce, peas, tiny onions, salads, mashed potatoes or baked stuffed acorn squash, plum pudding, fresh fruit and ice cream — was served to members of the hospital family and their guests on December 25. One hundred and eighty-seven patients, 62 patient guests, 306 employees and 62 employee guests partook of the specially prepared noontime feast. Now that the holiday parties are over and the decorations are down, the Deaconess Hospital seems a little quieter. But, the Christmas spirit remains in the hearts of most employees because it is the type of spirit which permeates the hospital's every day atmosphere.

Spontaneous caroling and a resurgence of old-time favorites occurred at the December 21 employees Christmas party. Michele Mahoney, granddaughter of Mr. Sam Marotta, barber, and Mrs. Sam Marotta, accounts receivable; was the center of attention of this group (l.-r.): The Strolling Trio, Mr. Lloyd Amerault, pneumatic systems; Mr. Anthony Rossi, building services; Mr. Wally Hirtle, pneumatic systems; Mr. Arnold O'Neil, doorman; and Mr. Henry Billings, mason.

Deaconess Hospital carolers listen closely while Miss Kathy Allen, secretary in the employee relations department, sings "White Christmas" to the violin accompaniment of Mr. Howard Sherman, Deaconess 4 nursing aide, and Mr. Sam Marotta, barber. Pictured (r. of Mr. Marotta) as they listen to Miss Allen are: Mrs. Catherine Greenlaw, histology technician; Mr. Everett Nickerson, plumber; Mrs. Margaret M. McLean, health coordinator; Mr. Ray Carlson, supervisor in maintenance; Miss Allen; Mrs. Helen Gibson, secretary in the chapel and for security; and Mr. Hubert Sycamore, assistant director. Employees sang favorite Christmas carols on all of the patient floors after singing in the Farr lobby.

Miss Dorothy Dawes, dietary hostess, receives her complimentary box of candy from Miss Elizabeth Murphy, personnel recruiter, and Miss Karen Burr, nurse recruiter.

To the delight of NEDH employees' children and grandchildren, Miss Ellen D. Howland, assistant director of the hospital and director of nursing, guides Santa Claus and his sleigh around the cafeteria to the accompaniment of the "Mabel Biagini Strolling Trio."

Nursing students "cut-loose" at the December 21 employee Christmas party. Third-year students, Miss Melanie Elliot and Miss Nancy Sharkey, do their own rendition to a favorite "oldie" while fellow class members enjoy the spirited occasion (l.-r. background): Miss Margaret Chiudioni, Miss Michele Boudrot, Miss Deborah Brackett, Miss Jane Pearson and Miss Sylvia Dion.

FICTION

The Doctor's Reputation
Elizabeth Seifert. A light story of romance in a hospital setting.

Dust On The Sea
Edward L. Beach. A novel about submarines and the men who commanded them during World War II.

Elephants Can Remember
Agatha Christie. (Mystery)

Foot In The Grave
E. X. Ferrars. (Mystery)

The Mountains At The Bottom Of The World
Ian Cameron. A story of suspense and adventure.

NONFICTION

The Air War In Indo-China
R. Littauer and *N. Uphoff,* eds.

The Crippled Giant: American Foreign Policy and its Domestic Consequences
J. William Fulbright.

Imperial Rome
Moses Hadas. A *Time-Life* book.

Marion Davies
F. L. Guiles. An in-depth biography of the Hollywood actress.

No Fault — What You Save, Gain, and Lose With The New Auto Insurance *P. Gillespie* and *M. Klipper.*

The President's War
Anthony Austin. The story of the Tonkin Gulf Resolution and how the nation was trapped in Vietnam.

Friends greet Mrs. Schandelmayer at late December retirement tea

Mrs. Eve Schandelmayer, executive secretary in the maintenance and engineering department, bid farewell to her many friends and co-workers at a tea honoring her for 31 and a half years of service to the Deaconess. Director Richard E. Lee presented Mrs. Schandelmayer with a gift from the hospital family — a Bonsai tree — at the December 28 tea in Harris Hall. On December 27, the maintenance and engineering employees surprised Mrs. Schandelmayer with a departmental party and presented her with a gift of money.

When she first came to the Deaconess in 1938, Mrs. Schandelmayer worked in the housekeeping department which at that time was responsible for grounds, messenger service, reception desks and elevator operators as well as housekeeping as we know it. She was appointed head housekeeper in 1945 with the responsibility for supervising employees at 229 Kent Street, Harris Hall, and the Baker and Palmer buildings.

In 1948, Mrs. Schandelmayer left the hospital and moved to Manchester, N. H. While there, her husband died and Mrs. Schandelmayer decided to open an antique shop on Cape Cod. The shop never opened because, in 1951, Mr. Donald Sabine, then director of maintenance and engineering, convinced Mrs. Schandelmayer to return to NEDH as the department's executive secretary. She has worked in this capacity for 21 and a half years. Her responsibilities have increased on a progressive scale and include the department's payroll, purchasing inventory and budget work.

Director Richard E. Lee and Mrs. Eve Schandelmayer enjoy a laugh with Mr. Milton Nelson, retired patient service manager. In the background, Miss Gail Graham, administrative secretary to Mr. Lee, talks with Miss Anne Howard, admissions counselor for the NEDH School of Nursing.

A woman of many talents, Mrs. Schandelmayer enjoys creative endeavors. She is a seamstress and makes most of her own clothes including suits and coats. Mrs. Schandelmayer also enjoys needlepoint, gourmet cooking and knitting. She attends the symphony and theater whenever possible.

Mrs. Schandelmayer's retirement plans include pursuing her hobbies, spending more time with her friends and just relaxing. In the spring she plans to visit London with a friend, but most of all, Mrs. Schandelmayer just hopes to "play it by ear."

Doctors doings

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Dr. W. Eugene Knox, senior research associate at CRI, lectured on "The Biochemical Nature of Cancer" and "Enzyme Regulation in Animals," December 8, at the University of South Dakota School of Medicine.

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Dr. William A. Meissner, pathology, presented two slide seminars on endocrine tumors at the Fifteenth Columbian Congress of Pathology, December 5-9, in Bucaramanga, Columbia, at the request of Dr. Carlos Cortes, a former pathology resident at NEDH who is now a pathologist in Bucaramanga.

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Dr. Wilford B. Neptune, thoracic surgery, spoke about "Surgical Management of Coronary Disease," December 12 at Mt. Auburn Hospital, Cambridge.

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Dr. George Nichols Jr., internal medicine, presented a paper on "The Transfer of Calcium Into and Out of the Skeleton of Normal and Uremic Subjects" at the December 12-19 Conference on Calcium and the Kidney, in Colman, France. On December 12, he lectured on "Evaluation of Bone Disease by Direct Metabolic and Morphologic Studies of Fresh Tissue" at the Hospital for Special Surgery in New York City.

Dr. Stanley Order, therapeutic radiology, attended the November 1-5 meeting of the American Society of Radiation Oncology in Phoenix, Arizona, and presented a paper dealing with current results of his research in ovarian carcinoma.

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Dr. Anthony J. Piro, therapeutic radiology, spoke to the Newport (R. I.) Hospital staff, December 19, on "The Interdisciplinary Effort In Hodgkin's Disease: Present Results." He presented a paper, co-authored by himself and **Dr. James A. Belli,** therapeutic radiology, November 2, to the American Society of Radiation Oncology in Phoenix, Arizona. The paper was entitled "Interaction of X-ray and Actinomycin-D Damage in Mammalian Cells: Possible Clinical Implications."

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Dr. Barbara J. Rosen, hematology and internal medicine, lectured on "Dysproteinemias," October 24, at Boston Veterans Administration Hospital's medical grand rounds.

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Dr. Francis G. Wolfort, plastic surgery, wrote an article entitled "Sickle Cell Ulcers" for the December issue of *Journals of the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons, Inc.* He also received approval to establish a residency in plastic surgery at Cambridge Hospital.

Mr. LeBeau retires from surgical services dept.

Mr. Thomas LeBeau, houseman, retired from the surgical services department at the end of December. Friends and co-workers gathered at a party, December 29, to bid Mr. LeBeau farewell and to reminisce about his 13 and a half years at NEDH. Executive Vice President R. D. Lowry presented him with a gift of money from the hospital. In addition to the hospital party, Mr. LeBeau's department honored him with a dinner party in early December, at which time he was presented with a money wallet.

A varied career characterizes Mr. LeBeau's vocational life. Before coming to NEDH in 1959, he operated a synthetic rubber grinder at American Biltrite, Chelsea. In addition, he has worked as a foreman for a janitorial service, and railed hogs for a meat packaging house.

During his first three years at NEDH, Mr. LeBeau was chief orderly for the department of surgical services. He remained an orderly until 1970 when he was appointed a houseman, responsible for the inventory and storage of supplies, and all lounges and offices in the department of surgical services.

Mr. LeBeau was born and raised in Boston. He graduated from Brighton High School where he met and subsequently married the former Grace Briscoe. Residents of Mattapan, they have five sons, three daughters and 17 granchildren.

Mrs. Valerie Giordano, operating room technician, glances at a letter being read by Mr. Thomas LeBeau, houseman, at his retirement party.

Mr. LeBeau looks forward to spending more time with his wife and family, and hopes "to be a free lancer."

Mr. "Jack" Johnston retires as doorman

Over the past thirteen years, Mr. John R. Johnston has greeted thousands of patients and visitors entering the Deaconess Hospital. The hospital's full-time doorman for ten years and part-time doorman for three years, "Jack" — as he is affectionately known at NEDH — has eased the anxieties of patients as he has helped them from cars, carried their luggage and escorted them to the patient service department. "Jack's" sincere praise of the Deaconess has made him one of the hospital's prominent goodwill ambassadors.

Executive Vice President R. D. Lowry presents Mr. "Jack" Johnston with a gift from the hospital family.

An informal farewell coffee hour was held, December 29, for Mr. Johnston in Director Richard E. Lee's office. He greeted some long-standing friends, reminisced about some favorite Deaconess experiences and was presented with a portable AM-FM radio by Executive Vice President R. D. Lowry in behalf of the hospital.

A native of Boston, Mr. Johnston attended the city's grammar and high schools. He studied languages in night school for a short time after graduating from high school. Languages didn't provide Mr. Johnston with a vocational stimulus and he eventually opened a bakery with his two sons in Holbrook, Mass. They sold the business in 1960 and Mr. Johnston subsequently came to the Deaconess.

In addition to his two sons, "Jack" has one daughter, a step-daughter and 17 grandchildren. The children are scattered from Maine to Florida, giving him and his wife good "excuses" to travel.

"Jack" enjoys spectator sports — particularly baseball — and hopes to have time now to watch a few more games this coming season. His retirement plans are to enjoy his homelife and visit with his children whenever possible. He also is exploring the possibility of doing some volunteer work at the Deaconess — after a while!

Friends of the Deaconess continue traditional holiday activities

The Friends of the Deaconess ushered in the Christmas holidays with their traditional bazaar on December 1. Nine days later, to the delight of hospital visitors and employees, they served refreshments during an afternoon open house in the Farr lobby.

Mrs. John L. Rowbotham, president of the Friends of the Deaconess; Mrs. Richard S. Paige, chairwoman of the annual bazaar, and Mrs. George A. Dempsy, first vice president of the Friends, discuss final arrangements for the Christmas decoration table.

Mrs. Shields Warren, treasurer of the Friends of the Deaconess, pours coffee for a hospital visitor at the traditional Friends of the Deaconess open house, December 10, in the Farr lobby.

At the December 1 Christmas bazaar, Miss Phyllis Giardini, R.N. on Farr 3 and co-chairwoman of the candy table, waits on Dr. Steven Hershenow, internist; Miss Stephanie DeGregorio, R.N. on Farr 3; Mrs. Mary Nadeau, nursing aide in the recovery room, and Miss Mary Radovich, R.N. on Baker 3.

NEDH School of Nursing participates in conference

The New England Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing participated in the Seventh Annual Careers Exposition along with approximately 200 other institutions. Miss Anne Howard, admissions counselor, was responsible for the nursing school's display and, along with several students, explained basic nursing skills and distributed literature about the NEDH School of Nursing to interested visitors. Nursing students explained the operating room model displayed at the school's booth and also demonstrated the use of the double stethoscope.

Careers Exposition attracted over 40,000 students, veterans and unemployed graduates to its annual conference, January 4 and 5, at Hynes Civic Auditorium in the Prudential Center.

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THE DEACONESS CHRISTMAS
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New England Deaconess Hospital Bowling League
Scores as of 1/4/73

DIVISION A

Team No.	Pinfall to date Incl. Handicap	Pts.
1—J. Dillahunt	18,633	85
2—C. Schraub	17,889	62
3—D. Monty	17,161	47
4—D. Colleron	17,499	41

High Singles for Year		High 3-String for Year	
J. Dillahunt	136	J. Dillahunt	360
High Average for Year			
J. Dillahunt	110		

DIVISION B

Team No.	Pinfall to date Incl. Handicap	Pts.
7—P. Torres	18,040	77
5—A. Glagovsky	17,818	64
6—G. Graham	18,145	59
8—B. Kitchin	14,575	26

High Singles for Year		High 3-String for Year	
F. Walsh	125	F. Walsh	330
L. Bracken	136	L. Bracken	304
High Average for Year			
F. Walsh	106		
L. Bracken	90		

DIVISION C

Team No.	Pinfall to date Incl. Handicap	Pts.
11—M. Hennessey	17,772	80
9—P. Cataldo	18,071	69
10—G. McMahon	18,123	66
12—J. Reed	16,763	32

High Singles for Year		High 3-String for Year	
S. Marotta	126	S. Marotta	343
M. Hennessey	105	M. Hennessey	295
High Average for Year			
S. Marotta	103		
M. Hennessey	88		